

amend the said Memorandum with immediate effect as follows:-

2. (i) Within the 27% of the vacancies in civil posts and services under the Government of India reserved for SEBCs, preference shall be given to candidates belonging to the poorer sections of the SEBCs. In case sufficient number of such candidates are not available, unfilled vacancies shall be filled by the other SEBC candidates.
- (ii) 10% of the vacancies in civil posts and services under the Government of India shall be reserved for other economically backward sections of the people who are not covered by any of the existing Schemes of reservation.
- (iii) The criteria for determining the poorer sections of the SEBCs or the other economically backward sections of the people who are not covered by any of the existing schemes of reservations are being issued separately
3. The O.M. of even number dated the 13th August, 1990, shall be deemed to have amended to the extent specified above.

Sd/-

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DEPUTY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

To

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### National Integration Council Meeting

571. SHRI DILEEP SINGH BHURIA:

SHRI SYED SHAHABUDDIN  
SHRI K.P. UNNIKRISHNAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the subjects discussed at the recent meeting of the National Integration Council; and

(b) the decisions taken at the meeting, particularly in relation to the Babri Masjid-Ramjanma Bhoomi issue?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) Communal Harmony: Ramjanma Bhoomi-Babri Masjid Issue.

(b) A statement of the enclosed resolution was passed. It was also agreed that a standing committee of the National Integration Council will be set up.

### STATEMENT

**Resolution Adopted by the National Integration Council at its Meeting Held on 2nd November, 1991 at new Delhi**

The National Integration Council views the deep concern the deterioration in the communal situation in the country during the last two years, which have witnessed increasing communal tension and serious incidents of violence leading to heavy loss of life and property. Along with the continuing activities of terrorists and militants in certain parts of the country, communal animosity can seriously undermine the national unity. the Council reaffirms the resolve of the people

to resolutely meet any challenge to the country's and integrity and its secular democratic polity.

The Council noted that one of the factors which has added immensely to the build-up of communal tension is the Ram Janma Bhumi - Babri Masjid dispute. the Council expressed its concern at the recent happenings in Ayodhya and hoped that such situations will not occur.

The Ram Janma Bhumi-Babri Masjid dispute has continued to evade satisfactory solution. The Council appeals to all concerned parties and organisations to work towards and amicable, negotiated solution of the dispute in a spirit of cooperation and mutual understanding.

The council noted following assurances given by the Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh:

1) All efforts will be made to find an amicable resolution of the issue;

2) Pending a final solution, the Government of Uttar Pradesh will hold itself fully responsible for the protection of the Ram Janma Bhumi-Babri Masjid structure;

3) Orders of the Court in regard to the land acquisition proceedings will be fully implemented; and

4) Judgement of the Allahabad High Court in the cases pending before it will not be violated.

The Council welcomed the invitation given to it by the Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh to visit Ayodhya on any suitable date.

The National Integration Council calls upon all concerned, including the political parties religious leaders, the media and other organisations, to act with restraint and in a

manner that will promote harmony and good will between all communities. Everyone must make efforts to desist from words or deeds that are likely to inflame communal passions or give encouragement to disruptive forces. Indian society is traditionally marked by a spirit of tolerance and respect for each other's faith. This spirit should continue to guide our thoughts and actions. The Council appeals to all people to maintain peace and tranquility and create an atmosphere conducive to the satisfactory settlement of the Ram Janma Bhumi-Babri Masjid dispute.

#### **Dual Citizenship to Non-Resident Indians**

572. SHRI DHARMANNA MONNDAYYA SADUL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to grant dual citizenship to Non-Resident Indians in order to attract their investments in the economic development of the country in near future; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) No, Sir.

(b) does not arise.

#### **Participation of Private sector in Power**

573. SHRI DHARMANNA MONDAYYA SADUL:  
SHRI VIJAY NAVAL PATIL:  
SHRI VISHWANATH SHASTRI:  
SHRI SOMJIBHAIDAMOR:

Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state: